

### REMARKS

Applicant respectfully traverses and requests reconsideration.

Applicant wishes to thank the Examiner for the notice that claims 1-3, 6, 8-10, 12-14, 16-18 and 20 are allowed in response to Applicant's previous amendment indicating that each peripheral component may be any one of an input device or an output device or an input/output device as claimed and that claims 4, 5, 15, 19, 21, 22, 24 and 25 would be allowable if rewritten or amended to overcome the claim objections and rejection under 112.

Claims have been objected to due to informalities. The typographical errors have been corrected in claims 4, 15, 19, 21 and 25. Accordingly, these claims are in condition for allowance.

Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are in condition for allowance and respectfully request that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case. The Examiner is invited to contact the below listed attorney if the Examiner believes that a telephone conference will advance the prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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